

PROBE BRITISH FUND FOR COX

COULD BE LISTED

IN INVESTIGATOR

PEACE PLAN BY HARDING

Nominee for World Court of Justice to Put End to International Strife

By International News Service.

Marion, O., Aug. 28.—A new world court of justice built on the foundation of the Old Hague Tribunal and brought up to date with some timbers saved from the wreckage of the League of Nations was brought forward here today by Senator Warren G. Harding as the Republican party's international peace policy.

"LEAGUE BROKEN DOWN."

"He would take and combine, he said, all that is good and extreme that is laid from both organizations to get an effective peace instrument with teeth in it."

Only in some such manner as this, Senator Harding asserted, can the world obtain the lasting peace for which it is crying, future wars be prevented and America assured of maintaining her independence in foreign affairs.

In his first "fighting speech" on international issues delivered from his front porch today to a group of Indiana Republicans, Senator Harding declared that the League as conceived at Paris had broken down.

HEAVY BLOW FOR MAN HELD AS BURGLAR

Charged with breaking and entering the home of Michael D. Harrington, No. 825 Columbia road, Dorchester, and having burglarized the home of Philip of Clough avenue, Somerville, was held in \$10,000 by Judge in the Roxbury Court for a hearing September 2. He pleaded not guilty. The arrest was the fourth made during the past week by the Roxbury police in connection with break.

BIRD REPLIES TO COX BY \$1,000 CONTRIBUTION

The Republican national committee's campaign fund was enriched to the extent of \$1,000 by a contribution from Charles Sumner Bird of Walpole, who wired Will Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee that it was "but a feeble expression of my supreme contempt for the campaign of misrepresentation and hypocrisy which Cox and Roosevelt are conducting."

RATING ORDER

ROWN, J.	RED BOX.
Carson, J.	Morgan, J.
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Rob Safe at Millbury as Citizens Look On

Millbury, Aug. 28.—Robbers forced an entrance through the office window of the Cordis mill early in the morning, twice blew the safe, wrecked the office and got away with \$4.

Citizens watched the thieves from neighboring houses and a watchman stood on the roof of the mill waiting for a chance to shoot. The police are investigating.

Uxbridge, Aug. 28.—On his way from Himsdale to Hells Village at 11:30 o'clock at night Francis Vago, timmer, was held up by a masked man who robbed him of two pocket pieces and 60 cents in small change.

When the hold-up man was told that Vago never carries a watch he abused him rudely and departed. Vago says his older money was concealed in his hat.

Tremont St. Blocked by Blazing Auto

Traffic was stalled fifteen minutes and a big crowd gathered and blocked the sidewalks when an automobile filled with furniture burst into flame at Tremont street and Temple place.

The automobile is owned by E. A. Beacham and was on its way to No. 31 Leiden street, Roxbury, where the furniture, which is owned by E. H. Johnson of Main street, Whitechapel.

Traffic Officer Thomas Leary discovered the fire and notified the driver. The latter and two companions battled with the flames until the arrival of the fire department.

It was necessary to litter the Lafayette Mall of Boston Common with the burning furniture before the blaze was extinguished.

Paris Beauty Scorns Nude Star Offer

Paris, Aug. 28.—Twenty-year-old Agathe Souver, who was recently selected as the most beautiful girl in France, has indignantly refused an offer to star in Henry Hattall's new play "Man and Boy."

Her refusal came when she learned that she was to be carried upon the stage nude, on a large plate at a dinner given.

The party probably will be given at the Hotel de Ville, the wife of Tod Romaine, the jockey, or Mile. Beryl.

U. S. CRUISER ORDERED TO DANZIG

Washington, Aug. 28.—At the request of the State Department, Secretary of the Navy Daniels today ordered Admiral Huse, in command of the American naval vessels in Baltic waters, to send the cruiser Pittsburgh from Reval to Danzig. The vessel is to be kept at Danzig for the protection of Americans.

HOMES OF BURGLARS ARE LOOKED UP

Jewel and Silver Robberies on North Shore Have Netted Daring Thieves \$100,000

The North Shore, from Swampscott to Rockport, is today in arm's seeking out the band of burglars who have entered residences and clubs and escaped with jewels and silver valued at almost \$100,000.

The latest break reported was that at the home of William J. Chandler, United Gas Machinery Company lawyer, in Manchester Cove.

Coming on top of the robberies in the residences of Walter L. Denvers and Gerald Brannell, as well as visits to the Taddeo and Kernwood clubs, members of the millionaire colony are considering offering a large reward for the apprehension of the thief or thieves.

For the Denvers crime a reward of \$10,000 has been offered for the apprehension of the thieves and return of the property. Other rewards are in evidence. The Coolidge home was burglarized yesterday during the absence of members of the family. The servants reported that they heard no sounds nor saw any suspicious persons. The valuables were taken from a room on the second floor.

As yet no complete list of the jewelry has been made.

LOSES \$130 PLAYING 'HELP ONE ANOTHER' ROLE

All Essex of No. 4 Collier street, Peabody, reported to the police that he had been robbed of \$130 in cash at Friend and Washington streets, Boston, by two affable strangers. One of the men said he had dirt in his pants and asked All's assistance in removing it. The other went through All's clothes, while All was setting the Good Samaritan. One of the men was about 45 years old, dark complexioned and had a mustache. He wore a dark suit and no hat. The other was about 35 years old, smooth shaven, medium complexion, wore a blue suit and a straw hat.

H. H. Sprague's Will Provides for Cats

Harvard College and several Boston institutions benefit by the will of Henry H. Sprague, late prominent lawyer of this city and for many years chairman of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Commission. The will has been filed in Suffolk County Court. The philanthropic bequest includes \$3,000 to Harvard, \$2,000 to the trustees of the Boston City Hospital for the purchase of books or other articles "for the use and comfort of patients of the South Department," \$1,000 to the Young Men's Christian Union, and \$1,000 to the Boston Lyric-Hospital. The larger portion of the estate goes to the widow, Mrs. Charlotte R. Sprague.

A clause requests the executor to "use and devote a sufficient sum to provide for comfortable care for three cats during the life of Mrs. H. H. Sprague." The will is dated September 15, 1910.

NEW YORK WOMEN PELT COX WITH ROSES

New York, Aug. 28.—A delegation of 25 women from the Women's New York Democratic club pelted Governor Cox with roses as he emerged from his private car following a conference with Mayor James J. Watson today. The Governor walked from the station to the Hotel Commodore. He spoke at length to the women on the issue of the campaign.

SCANDAL BORDERS ON TREASON

New York, Aug. 28.—Chairman Hays of the national committee, impressed by the allegations of Representative Fred A. Britten and others that the government chiefly responsible for the League of Nations covenant is getting behind Cox financially, started for Chicago last night. He will put together all the evidence Britten and others supply, and may present it to the Kenyon committee when he appears before it Monday morning next.

On the way to Chicago Chairman Hays will consult with Senator Harding at Marion.

Britten's accusations, coupled with data since offered, have convinced the Harding managers that there is tangible proof that the British government is employing its powerful influence to elect the candidate who has made the Lloyd George-Wilson League of Nations covenant his pet issue for a month.

It was pointed out yesterday that in many ways the international banking combine, which is fighting for the League of Nations, is back of Cox. These international bankers are primarily British bankers.

It was also pointed out that there is a strong probability that much of the money they contribute to British governmental funds, thus creating a scandal bordering on treason because of the attempts to buy, by British gold, a candidate for the presidency to betray the independence of this country and to burden the American people with the enormous war obligations of an imperialistic foreign league.

It came to the ears of the Harding managers weeks ago that agents of the English government have been energetically working for Cox since he joined the President in demanding the ratification of the Wilson League of Nations covenant.

It was hinted also that campaign subscriptions of a large amount were being solicited by British emissaries in the country.

Representative Britten revealed part of the plan without consultation with Harding managers.

BRITTEN TELLS OF \$87,500 TO GO BEFORE SENATE COMMITTEE WITH CHARGE THAT ENGLAND AIDS COX

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Representative Fred A. Britten, who charged that \$87,500 appropriated by the British government had "found its way into the Democratic campaign fund," will go before the Senate sub-committee investigating campaign expenditures Monday and ask it to investigate the interest of international financiers in the candidacy of Governor Cox.

Representative Britten was substituted on the issue of the campaign.

Woman Judge Pleads for MacSweeney



WRECK HOUSES IN QUEENSTOWN

Troops Called Out to Suppress Outbreak at Irish Seaport City

Dublin, Aug. 28.—Many buildings were sacked and wrecked in rioting at Queenstown today. Troops were called out to restore order. Soldiers are alleged to have arrested the troublemaker in reprisal for an attack upon the British military forces at Cashmore.

SCORE HURT, ONE BLOWN, 2 BLOCKS BY EXPLOSION

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 28.—More than a score of workmen were injured, two so seriously that they may die, when an explosive tank at the Detroit Pressed Steel company in the Northeastern part of the city, blew up today. One man, Kent J. Borenson, was blown two blocks from the factory and will die.

BROSNAHAN ESTATE VALUED AT \$35,000

The will of Timothy P. Brosnahan of Somerville, who died July 14, has been filed and names his son John J. Brosnahan of Somerville as executor.

The estate is valued at \$35,000.

TENNESSEE GAINED 7 PER CENT. IN DECADE

Washington, Aug. 28.—The 1920 population of Tennessee is 2,347,483, an increase since 1910 of 7.2 per cent, seven per cent, the census bureau announced today.

FOR INSPECTORS ARE NAMED

The receivers of Charles Ponzi are today in possession of the names of four Boston police inspectors and one lieutenant who had dealings with the School street financial juggler, some of them in the capacity of agents.

The published list of investors has contained the names of many police officers, not all of whom were patrolmen. In fact, many of the names were those of superior officers. Many of these men have disclaimed any dealings with Ponzi.

In an effort to get at the bottom of the situation, Police Commissioner Curtis had questionnaires issued to all members of the department. In filling these out some of the police officers charged that they were openly solicited to invest by other members of the department. Some declared that they were even awakened at their homes with suggestions that they invest.

Commissioner Curtis today said that he would issue no statement about the questionnaires until the investigation now being conducted in the department had been completed.

One member of the department who has been openly charged with being a Ponzi agent merely "did favors" for his friends by placing money with Ponzi, according to those who know him best.

This man, it is claimed, got absolutely no profit from his dealings. It is claimed that if a member of the department wanted to invest \$1,000, this man took \$500 and put it all in the name of the lender. Then when the investment matured the lender collected \$1,100, the officer who placed the money getting nothing for his trouble.

MANY INVESTORS SCARED.

Additional assets and information which is expected to reveal more have been found by the receivers.

With drastic action threatened by the receiver against those who withhold money, the Ponzi estate under the bankruptcy laws a considerable sum to transform it into a hotel.

FRENCH BRANCH OF LEAGUE LOSES HOME

Paris, Aug. 28.—The French branch of the League of Nations is today without a home. The officials were evicted from the office where they were maintaining headquarters because the owner of the building decided to transform it into a hotel.

WHEELER WILL LEAVES ESTATE OF \$90,000

The Boston Safe Deposit & Trust company has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry A. Wheeler of Newton, who died August 24. The company has given a bond of \$90,000. The estate is valued at \$90,000.

HUSBAND RETURNS IN TIME FOR FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Sears of 55 Main street, Allston, was held at St. Anthony's church. Mrs. Sears died during her husband's absence in New Hampshire on a vacation, and an appeal for his return was sent by the funeral home, as his wife was the only one who knew his whereabouts. The husband was given a bond of \$10,000 in Calvary cemetery, Waltham.

CHARLES RIVER BASIN



HEARST FOUR-FOLD PLAN

Springfield, Aug. 28.—A signal victory for the Hearst newspapers, which have carried on a nationwide fight in behalf of a bonus for World War veterans was scored here when the second annual convention of the Massachusetts Branch of the American Legion unanimously approved the four-fold plan of adjusted compensation.

General Edwards, guest of the convention, speaking from the convention platform, championed the resolution and after its introduction by Thomas D. Lavelle of Boston, not a dissenting voice was raised.

The measure, introduced by the national executive committee of the Legion, has been passed by the U. S. House of Representatives and now lies in the Senate. The Hearst newspapers, besides rallying editorially for its enactment, circulated petitions throughout the country demanding its passage. The petitions were forwarded to Congress, and following their receipt the House passed the measure. Opposed by war profiteers, stock jobbers, corporate interests and rich army men, it has since lain in a Senate pigeon-hole.

Supported by the important action of the State branch and the executive endorsement of the resolution by a great majority of the other State branches of the Legion, the national executive committee confidently expects the passage of the measure through the Senate.

The measure provides for farm lands, aid, vocational education and cash payments, based upon the length of service.

TEXT OF RESOLUTION.
Whereas the resolution adopted by the Massachusetts Legion follows:
Whereas, the national executive committee of the American Legion has recommended to Congress a four-fold plan for the purpose of rehabilitating service men and women, consisting land grants, assistance in the purchase of homes, vocational training and compensation, while training is actually going on, and adjusted compensation based upon length of service; and

Whereas, Congress has failed and neglected to enact this or any other providing for these objects into law, therefore

"Be it resolved, that the annual convention of the Massachusetts Legion, in partnership of the American Legion, unqualifiedly endorses and affirms the position of the national executive committee in regard to the four-fold plan and urges upon Congress the passage of such legislation; and that it further resolved, that the delegates elected in this convention be hereby instructed to carry the expression of the Massachusetts department convention to the national convention of the American Legion, and to support in that convention the plan of such other plan as seems most likely to secure the full and complete resolution was passed unanimously and pronounced apolitical.

EDWARD CHAMBERS, BOSTON.
An affecting scene occurred as General Edwards, about to relinquish the command of the Northeastern Department for an obscure post in Jersey, entered the convention hall to bid farewell to the legionnaires, many of whom had traveled from as far as members of the Yankee division of which he was the leader.

Newspapers and programs filled the air and deafening roars of cheer burst forth as the general, with his hand at salute, walked to the platform. His eyes filled with tears as he thanked the legionnaires for their support and his emotions prevented his speaking for some minutes.

His voice, husky as he started to speak, soon cleared and he launched into a defense of the four-fold bonus plan. He admitted that when the matter was first mentioned the "bonus" repelled him and he was opposed to the measure. He soon, however, commenced to look at the matter from the viewpoint of the soldier. Finally the tale of huge bonuses paid war workers in the yards and other branches of work in this country convinced him that the soldier who fought the war was entitled to more than those who stayed at home.

LAVELLE OFFERS A RESOLVE.
He closed his address by stating that he "would not trade the esteem of New England for any decoration in the world," and assured the delegates that there was "no canker" in his heart through failure of promotion.

Lavelle, in introducing the bonus resolution, said he favored substituting the words "adjusted compensation" for "bonus," to meet any objection which service men, having accepted gratuities for war service, he then demanded the vote be adopted, remarking:

"The time for the measure has passed and the time for action arrived. The resolution of the speaker has been discussed in the various posts, departments, by national Legion heads and in Congress. The four-fold plan lies awaiting the action of Congress."

As General Edwards laid before this convention, any man who would oppose the convention is sure to be heard and would probably be converted in the end."

LAVELLE FOR COMMANDER.
The measure was then adopted without opposition, much to the elation of Colonel Logan, who has been his voice in its behalf at every opportunity.

Lavelle introduced the measure directly before the convention without reference to the committee on rules and the part he played in its passage has placed him today as the foremost candidate before the convention for the office of State commander, succeeding Colonel Logan.

When the delegates assembled today to elect a State commander, Lavelle is expected to be the most popular of all candidates, although there was some sentiment for electing Colonel William J. Keville of Belmont.

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54 inches wide, in pink, blue, navy, red, copenghen and rose.

Fancy Ribbons . . . 59c

7/8 and 7/4 inches wide, in choice dark colorings. Excellent value.

Hot Water Bottles . . . 1.50

Combination bottle and fountain syringe, 2-quart size, red rubber.

Dress Shields . . . 1.00

Light weight and washable, sizes 3 and 3. Three pairs for

Baby Pins . . . 20c

Gold top baby pins, protected clasps. White, ivory, child design. Set

White Flannel . . . 49c

White Saxony flannel, firm soft weave, for infants and children's wear.

Outing Flannel . . . 29c

Colored outing flannel, stripes and checks; 10 to 12 yard pieces. A yard

Women's Silk Gloves . . . 1.89

Two-claw silk gloves, dotted, ribbed tips, Paris point.

Women's Silk Gloves . . . 79c

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Chamoisette Gloves . . . 69c

Women's chamoisette gloves, two pairs, in white only. Very special

Men's Hosiery . . . 45c

Fine plaid silk hose, in popular plain colors. Irregular

Men's Hosiery . . . 19c

Medium weight black cotton hose, double heels and toes; irregular

Men's Union Suits . . . 1.25

Plain weave gauze cotton, short sleeves, 36 length; sizes 34 to 36.

Men's Shirts . . . 39c

Swiss ribbed athletic shirt, without sleeves; irregular. Excellent value.

Bungalow Aprons . . . 1.59

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Imitation Metal Georgette, 40 inches wide.

White Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide.

Georgette, 40 inches wide, in white, flesh, navy and copenghen.

White Wash Satin, 36 inches wide.

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The smocks are in rose, copeng, peach, white, flesh, maize, and many are handsomely embroidered on pockets and collars in fancy designs.

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Muslin Corset Covers, 69c

Cambric Drawers, extra 79c

Silk Gowns, chemise style, emb. trimmed, 1.29

Muslin Petticoats, embroidery 1.29

Widow's Crepe Gowns, ruffled underlay 1.29

Nainsook Gowns, also Envelope chemises, elaborately trimmed with lace insertion and 1.50

Crepe Gowns, extra style, chemise style; white and flesh 2.69

Widow's Crepe Gowns, ruffled underlay 1.98

Neckwear

Marshall and Ostrich Caps, full size, satin lined in 4.95

Black and natural, 25c

Sample Neckwear, odd lot, lace 25c

Muslin Vests, with cuffs to match, trim, 95c

Petticoats

Taffeta Silk Flounce Petticoats, cotton tabs, body 2.98

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, extra size, good color, 5.98

Seersucker Petticoats, white and black, 1.50

Petticoats of black cotton taffeta with flower 98c

Curtains

Ruffled Roman Curtains, full rail, row hemstitched ruffle 1.79

Dutch Style Voile Curtains, wide flange insertion, 3 piece set 2.98

Lace Curtains, plain and all-over designs with attractive borders, pair 1.49

Muslin Curtains, light weave, in dainty border patterns, pair 3.98

Dutch Style Voile Curtains, plain hemstitched 3 piece set 1.98

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Colored Curtain Voiles, in hand and all-over patterns, pair 1.49

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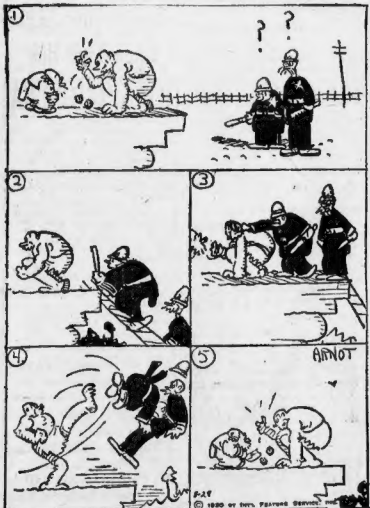
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THE GENERAL



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MAYBE THOSE ARE THE ONLY ONES THAT WILL ACCEPT THE INVITATION!!

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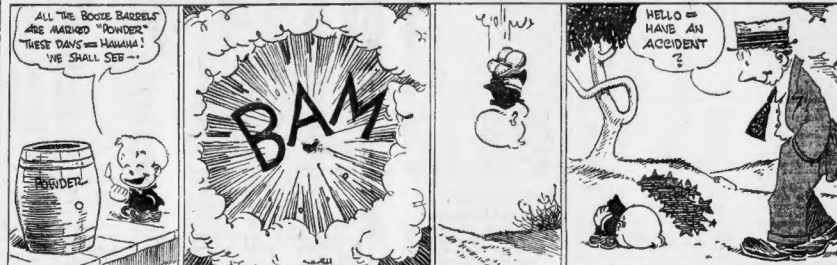
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Goo' Bye, Cook!



Enough's Enough.



No Need for a Padlock on the Till.



C'mon Le's Eat.



By George Herriman



League to Enforce Peace That Will Actually Do It

The British, French, Italian, Belgian, German and Czechoslovakian workers have served notice on their governments that they will neither make nor transport munitions to prolong the war between Russia and Poland.

They are all equally ready to quit work if the governments endeavor to make any other war.

Whenever the workers of the whole world unite in a common pledge to strike against war, then war will cease.

Then there will be a League to Enforce Peace that will be really effective.

The pitiable failure of the four old men who tried to end war by the childish plan of reviving the eighteenth century Holy Alliance was due to the fact that they approached the problem with minds saturated with politics, and in the attitude of superior beings, chosen by Providence to legislate for mankind.

There was not an economist among the four.

The problem of reconstruction they tried to solve was and is wholly an economic problem, and their political solution was necessarily a ridiculous and disastrous failure.

Their League of Nations is already a joke.

And as if to emphasize their incompetence, the plain working people of the world have had to provide the statesmanship to end the wars in which the League of Nations proposed by these futile leaders had, within two short years, involved half the peoples of Europe, and in which America would have surely been involved had the Senate let Mr. Wilson have his way.

Let us be thankful that the workers of the world have found more sense than the politicians, and that they have found an effective means to end war by simply calling a strike against war.

May Ask State Department to Commit Treason

A Washington dispatch, dated August 17, says:

The Cabinet meeting today was devoted almost exclusively to discussion of means by which the United States might be able to lend "material aid" to Poland.

Following the meeting, a high Government official said:

"The State Department doubtless will be asked to give a ruling as to whether the Soviet Government properly can be termed an 'enemy of the United States.' If such a declaration is made by the department, the Administration will be in position to lend money and provide munitions to Poland."

The only way a country can become an "enemy of the United States" is by being at war with the United States.

To declare a country an "enemy of the United States" is to declare war upon that country.

The public official who attempts to declare that the United States is at war with Russia or with any other country without a prior declaration of war by the Congress is guilty of treason.

He ought to be impeached for treason and convicted promptly.

If anything of this treasonable nature is attempted by anybody at all in Washington, the Congress should assemble upon its own motion and teach the offenders that the Constitution is still the supreme law of the land and that whoever offers to usurp the powers delegated to the Congress by that instrument does so at his grave peril.

Another Instance of Grab

The crack-brained Spaniard in Cervantes' great travesty, "Don Quixote," saw giants in windmills, imprisoned princesses in scullery maids, and got himself into no end of trouble with his romantic hallucinations.

If the old Don were alive today, the chances are he would be on the stump to get Uncle Sam into the League of Wars.

Nothing quixotic disturbs the vision of the shrewd men who govern Great Britain. They see facts as the facts are and have an unquenchable eye for the main chance.

A mandate to govern an alien area, to the British mind, means peddling the profits for John Bull. And the British mind proceeds to do this with neatness and dispatch.

A man home from Danzig, the "free city," "freed" at Versailles, is surprised that the British commissioner, Sir Reginald Tower, should have monopolized for his countrymen the commercial opportunities.

He needn't be. That is Britain's immemorial way. If Uncle Sam had more men in public life capable of protecting American interests vigilantly and practically, it would not be a bad thing.

We talk big about "freedom of opportunity," "open doors," etc., but when it comes to putting a wedge in the door that some aggressive rival is about to slam in our face, as a rule it isn't done.

Would Reduce Swelled Heads

The administration candidates complain that not only the President but Cabinet officers were hampered by the refusal of the Congress to carry out their designs.

That is the most refreshing display of impudence the nation has seen yet.

We assume that Mr. Cox and Mr. Roosevelt would have the powers of Congress limited to carrying out the decrees of the President and the secretaries.

Unfortunately, the Constitution takes another view of good government and confines the authority of the President to executing the laws made by the Congress.

As for the positions of Cabinet officers, they are not a Constitutional creation at all. They are mere creations of former Congresses, and they can be abolished by the Congress whenever the Congress sees fit to do so.

Many Americans think that it would be an excellent plan to abolish the whole Cabinet and administer public affairs through committees of Congress. And impudent Cabinet secretaries should remember that the Congress can do that very thing at any time upon its own motion.

Cox's Army

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By T. E. Powers



More Truth Than Poetry



Why Die?

By S. E. KISER

WHY die or be sick or lack mental ability. Why miss the perfection you might as well claim?

It is foolish to suffer from any debility. There's a cure for your trouble, whatever its name.

When you ride in a street car again, give attention. You'll see that no trouble need long be endured; No matter what bodily ill you may mention, It always is easy enough to be cured.

If your heart is lop-sided, take Wimpey's emulsion; For a liver that's lazy take Peterson's pills; For your kidneys perform only under compulsion.

That also is one of the curable ills. There are syrups for which all the children are crying.

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Why won't people see there's no reason for dying Or groaning with "innards" that aren't all right?

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Headquarters Fort Strong, Mass.

Editor Boston American:

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By K. C. B.

JAMES M. COX.

DAYTON, OHIO.

MY DEAR Jimmy,

WHEN I was a kid, in the winter time, we'd build snow forts and choose two armies.

AND THEN each army would make snowballs.

AND COUNT them all, and pile them up.

WITHIN EASY reach, of the willow arms.

WHOSE MISSION it was, to hurl them over.

AND WHEN the armies had an equal number, of round snowballs.

WE'D START the fight, and I recall.

ONE FATAL day, when I'd been chosen.

TO LEAD our side, AND WAS crouching down.

INSIDE OUR fort, EXCEPT for the moments.

WHEN I'd arise, AND THROW a ball, AND CROUCHING there.

AND NEVER mind, HOW MANY snowballs, THE OTHER guys have.

AND TOOK our fort, AND DROVE us away.

AND IF you ask me, WHAT I would do, IF I were you, I'D SAY to you, JUST KEEP on digging, AND MAKING snowballs.

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Big News for All Victims of Boston Housing Crisis

The Boston Sunday Advertiser will publish tomorrow an exclusive story of great importance in the victims of Boston's housing shortage and of the impending rent-raising cry, important as it has been taken to relieve the distress, and it requires but one more step to make that action effective. Will the official who has the power take the final step? But even if he does, it will not be in time to prevent hundreds and perhaps thousands of returning vacationists from finding themselves homeless in the great city of Boston. How will they solve their problems? The two officials best qualified to advise, speaking through the Boston Sunday Advertiser, will tell them how.

V. Blasco "Danah," the famous Spanish author recently in America, is writing a series of articles on conditions in chaotic Europe, which will appear exclusively in the Boston Sunday Advertiser. In the first of these, appearing tomorrow, he will deal with the "Black Man of France," who is none other than M. Paul Deschanel, President of the republic.

Danah draws a striking parallel between the illness of Woodrow Wilson and that of Deschanel, who has abandoned the cares of state and left the Elysee palace in Paris for seclusion in the historic town of Rambouillet, the most lonely and isolated of all French public mansions.

Why this startling denouement in French politics? Danah answers the question all Europe has been asking.

The writer hints that all is not right with Deschanel, and he gives

sidelights on the curious, over-crowded life he has lived. "The handsome man in France," before his marriage the statesman, born in exile, was a matrimonial prize sought by scores of the dashing beauties of France, and "millionnaires by the dozen were standing in line hoping his attractive eyes might fall on one of them," says Danah.

"Who knows but what the gossip life about the President's health and his fitness to hold the presidential chair do not go back to the time when he was the idol of feminine Paris?"

England has betrayed the Jews of the world, declares Israel Zangwill, world-famous author and leader in the Zionist movement. He asserts that Balfour's promise of Palestine as a national state for the Jews is now shown to be nothing more than selfish political expediency, and says England aimed at a vast colonization scheme which would create in Palestine a buffer state of more benefit to the empire than to the Jews.

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